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AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 1.116 AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER RULE 1.113

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 15, 2000, please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

In the Claims:

Claim 1: (Twice Amended) A method for removing <u>metal</u> honeycomb and braze from a substrate, said honeycomb having a base and a ribbon direction, comprising: directing a pressurized liquid at an angle of less than about 90° between the liquid and the substrate, through at least one orifice of a nozzle such that the liquid forms a liquid stream upon exiting the nozzle, the liquid stream striking the substrate at the base of

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